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WITH ORAL ARGUMENT

Plaintiffs, by their undersigned counsel, move the Court for an Order granting Plaintiffs' Motion *In Limine* to Preclude PwC from Arguing that the Jury can Consider Disclosures Made in Portions of the Registration Statements Other Than the Financial Statements to Determine Whether Any Misstatement and/or Omission was Material Under Section 11. This motion is supported by the accompanying memorandum of law.

Dated this 16th day of February, 2010.

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This matter comes before the Court on Plaintiffs' Motion *In Limine* to Preclude PwC from Arguing that the Jury can Consider Disclosures Made in Portions of the Registration Statements Other Than the Financial Statements to Determine Whether Any Misstatement and/or Omission was Material Under Section 11. Having considered the following submittals to the Court:

- 1. Plaintiffs' Motion *In Limine* to Preclude PwC from Arguing that the Jury can Consider Disclosures Made in Portions of the Registration Statements Other Than the Financial Statements to Determine Whether Any Misstatement and/or Omission was Material Under Section 11;
- 2. PwC's Opposition to Plaintiffs' Motion *In Limine* to Preclude PwC from Arguing that the Jury can Consider Disclosures Made in Portions of the Registration Statements Other Than the Financial Statements to Determine Whether Any Misstatement and/or Omission was Material Under Section 11;
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And the Court being otherwise fully advised hereby ORDERS that Plaintiffs' Motion *In Limine* to Preclude PwC from Arguing that the Jury can Consider Disclosures Made in Portions of the Registration Statements Other

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1	Than the Financial Statements to Determine Whether Any Misstatement
2	and/or Omission was Material Under Section 11 is hereby GRANTED .
3	IT IS SO ORDERED.
4	Dated this day of March 2010.
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8	Honorable Fred Van Sickle United States District Judge
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